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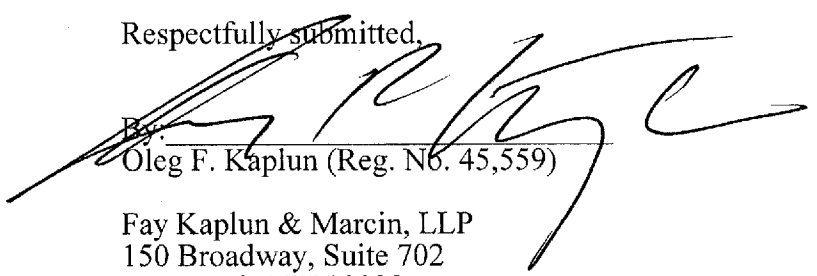
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In response to the Final Office Action mailed on July 15, 2008, please find Request for Continued Examination ("RCE"), an Amendment, an executed Power of Attorney, a Change of Correspondence Address and a Statement under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) for filing in the above-identified application. Please charge the Credit Card of Fay Kaplun & Marcin, LLP in the amount of \$810.00 for the RCE fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees to the Deposit Account of **Fay Kaplun & Marcin, LLP No. 50-1492.**

Respectfully submitted,

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